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LET Congress go to work instantly and

GRANT has one more friend restored to public usefulness and will be elected-Z. CHANDLER. THE TILDEN movement is booming, and

GRANT movement. Now won't it furnish stricken at the idea. They know that its threatened list of Republican plunderers BRAGG told the truth, and that any at-

with unexampled resonance.

Clear the track

to Democratic ears.

SPEAKER protem. SAYLER seems to know CHALMERS, HOOKER, and other wrangling Democrats were stricken with parliamentary aphony.

getting "into power."

An increase of the working force of the to secure a prompt and efficient execution of the arrears of pension act. The law inpapers, &c. A neglect to provide for this obvious demand would be nothing less than of mind, but by Saturday's session they will crimmal.

THE compliment to Senator-elect CAR-PENTER last night lost none of its vigor by of Wisconsin, but was more in the nature of a recognition of the merit of a man whose constituency is, like his reputation, of a national comprehensiveness.

as any carpet-bagger ever was. The San is made so stupendous a failure. not always good authority on such subjects, but seems to have blundered upon the truth what he could to avert it, but he is encum- It was natural that Mr. STANTON, as Secrein this instance. If the Georgia Democrats bered with a swarm of "ward club" offi- tary of War, should have ordered the arrest were not so clannish, something more defi-cials who are willing to wreck the State of this nest of traitors, and quite proper nite and detailed than this general charge credit to maintain the "machine." It is that the arrest should have included Mrs might be made public against Gordon. As said that he is heartly sick of these official Subbart, at whose house the unholy it is he is protected from exposure by the roaches, but cannot get rid of them. The scheme was day by day advocated and arfriendly cover of partisan interest.

DEMOCRATIC economy, so called, has been illustrated latterly in many ways, but in none so clearly as the parsimonious approprintions for the execution of the pension laws. Everybody knows that the Pension Bureau is behindhand with its work, and now that the CUMMING's pension act is about to go into effect everybody knows also that an increase of the number of clerks in that the present charter restricts the State that Bureau is emphatically demanded by debt to \$15,000,000 and forbids an an- to have been a pretty big individual, at the requirements of the public service. Will nual expenditure beyond the annual least sufficiently large "when his dander any Democrat come to the relief of the pensioners now with a proposition to increase disquiet which prevails at New York and BOUTWELL in his so-called attempts to be the strength of its clerical force?

Vicksburg Herald says:

Ex-President JEFFERSON DAVIS has writthe State's Congressmen.

Can it be possible that the "ex-President " has a personal interest in the subfeet-matter of this fetter? Senator Bauce's term expires in 1881.

claims in the agony of dire apprehension agement of the investigation now being especially urge the reinstatement of Marconducted by the committee which bears his shall PITKIN, in whose behalf the banking, mume. In so far as he has succeeded in protecting Tilder from merited exposure as tional Republican, and even some Demo-

the most infamous political criminal of the ige, he is truly a representative Democrat, with all that the term implies.

THE Augusta (Ga.) Chronicle defles the Northern Democrats to "get along by themselves," and twits them of resorting to BRAGG and Bluster." The Chronicle don't inderstand the situation, nor does it apprelate the true character of the man against whom its innuendo is so plainly directed. General BRAGO is not a blusterer, and he is, so to speak, a better dog than "hold fast." During the war be left "the front" to besome a candidate for Congress on the Union or War Democratic platform. He is not the man to repudiate his past record, and he will do nothing now to stultify himself or his achievements in that contest, nor those he made in bloodier campaigns with the Army of the Potomac.

THE MUZZLE IN THE BOUSE.

increase the clerical force of the Pension in the House of Representatives. They have been trembling in their boots ever since General BRAGG threw his hot shot among them over a week ago, and so great is their terror that they have applied the gag and strangled free speech. A few members like Mitas, of Texas, and HOOKER coopers are at work making bar'ls, while and CHALMERS, of Mississippi, have shown the mule market is looking up. Let 'er a disposition to reply to Buxoo, but all the other Democrats, and especially the dough-THE Baltimore Gazette appears to have faces of the North, of whom SAM RANDALL cide, &c. leisure to devote to our relations with the is the prophet, priest, and king, are terrortempt to refute his statements can have no effect other than to make their disgrace THE lumbermen of Michigan are experts deeper in the eyes of the loyal people of the in the boom business. As a consequence North. They see no way to obliterate the the GRANT movement is booming out there brand that BRAGO put upon them, and hence want to remain silent. They dare not meet the isane. Hence they resort to all manner of schemes to keep Messrs. THE reception to Semator-elect CarpenMills and others down. Since Braggi's speech RANDALL, who knows better than worthy of notice by the constituents of anyone else how to do so, has made all Mesers. CHANDLER and LOGAN. These manner of decisions and twisted the rules occurrences add spirit to the political situa- in all manner of shapes to prevent a morntion, and do not detract from the booming ing hour. They are putting off the fearful of a certain movement of unwelcome sound thing from day to day. At each day's adjournment they breathe a little freely when they realize that the fearful thing has how to apply the muzzle as effectively as of what may be on the morrow again SAM RANDALL himself. With the aid of disturbs their peace of mind. It haunts Mr. HEWITT he strangled the "morning them in their fitful slumbers, and their ingenuity is taxed to devise ways and means by which they may further postpone the evil day. On Wednesday they again succeeded in postponing it by going into com-THE New York Tribuna thinks that the mittee on the Post-Office appropriation bill. uniform course of sending nobody but After the committee had completed the bill,

whipped rebels to Congress from the South and it was reported to the House, the year will give the Democrats the liveliest kind and mays were called on every amendof a circus when these graybacks get into ment to consume time, because if the power. The only difficulty about this pred- bill had been disposed of at an icate is that the rebels referred to are not of early hour the claim bill might still have the "whipped" kind. If they were, no rea- come up. It was further with a view of sonable man would seriously object to their postponing "the fearful thing" that the Post-Office bill was not then completed. It would have come up yesterday as unfinished business, but two or three more roll-Pension Bureau is imperatively demanded calls and a disreputable parliamentary trick consumed the time down to two o'clock, when by special assignment the District of creases the number of pensioners, and thereby Columbia Committee was entitled to the increases the amount of clerical labor to be floor. To-day will be private bill day and performed in the preparations of pencion it can't come up. And thus the cowardly Democracy has gained a few days of peace

be terror stricken again. LOUISIANA UNDER "HOME RULE." the fact that a large number of the leading Louisiana increases. Governor Kentogg's would seem, was enough to conclusively The gravity of the condition of affairs in triet of Columbia participated in the weltions of that Commonwealth and brought that his path of escape was all laid out become extended to him. The affair was not her credit up. The NICHOLLS administrafaulted in the payment of her annual inter- atre, shows conclusively fect and inequitable, the stipends to its have been planned some time previous, and THE New York Sun has discovered that and its financial and administrative capac- their part of successfully carrying it out. Senator Gondon has been guilty of as much lity is so meagre that we are not surprised But for Booth's unforseen accident he sharp practice in the way of office-getting that the Nicholds government should have would have probably then have escaped,

Louisiana Legislature, whereof the Democracy has the control by an excessive and dishonest majority, seems to have felt no solicitude concerning the State credit, and 23d instant even Governor Nicholls approved an act providing for "a convention Government and its worthy President. to frame a new constitution of the State of Louisiana." When it is borne in mind income, there is abundant reason for the

JEFF DAVIS had voluntarily retired from proclivity to repudiate is about to assert it- is plainly a most infamous contrivance to public life again. But here he comes poking self in that State appears certain. The electoreate a false idea of the Government which his nose into public affairs as usual, just at tion of delegates is to be held on the 18th was then and is now in the hands of the the time when his more discreet partisan of March next, and the convention on the Republican party. The vile statement ends allies were congratulating themselves that 21st of April. Poor as the default in annual in a most vile manner, and it is natural he had subsided for good and all. The interest confesses the State to be, \$40,000 that it should. It calls attention. are nevertheless "appropriated to pay the whether truthfully or not, to some "expenses of the convention." That the violent or unnatural death, or degradation ten a letter to the Jackson Claries to prove Democracy proposes to wanton with the of those who took part in the trial. If credit of Louisiana is so keenly felt there there is anything contemptible in human that Conservatives and Nationals who have nature it is this style of argument; and it left the Democracy within a twelve-month well becomes such men as could hang John seek an alliance with the Republicans to Brown, he guilty of the Fort Pillow masdefend the honor of the Commonwealth, sacre and of all the horrors of the Southern maintain its peace, and, in fact, coalesce per- prisons, and of the sending of potsonous THE Syracuse Courier (Democrat) ex- manently in behalf of the public interests. clothing to Northern cities, and the un-But the implication involved in the dethat Mr. POTTER and General BRAGG "cor- fault in bond-interest, that the State is poor, "rectly represent the Northern Democracy," is a slander. Louisiana is not poor, and an ment well becomes bull-dozers, wholesale and adds that "Southern claims should be honest and efficient administration murderers, and the like, and those who buried so deep that they will be past all would soon demonstrate it. The conserva-"resurrection." The Courier is mistaken, tive elements, who own bank stock and is such logic as only such men can fully These gentlemen simply represent the com- acres, are in commerce, steer enterprise, appreciate. paratively insignificant element of the and, in fact, are, as a rule, the more respon-Northern Democracy which is unmuzzled sible elements, well know that Louisiana and which does not wear the collar of the cannot prosper unless she guards her honor Southern Bourbons. It might have said, with equal reference to her public peace and however, and truthfully, that Mr. POTTER her public credit. These elements have indoes represent the cowardly injustice of the dicated their desire to act with certain entire Democracy in his jug-handled man- well-known Republicans of Louisians, and

cratic interests, have emphatically pro-nounced. The Marshal is a native of New Orleans and especially fitted for the post. As the coalition in question is believed to depend largely upon the assurance conveyed.

Third—Meantime inquiries made by inter-ested parties in individual cases will be filed, but no answer made until they are taken up for adjustment.

The above rules will be observed in handling depend largely upon the assurance conveyed to these several classes through his reinstatement by the Administration, the fact that only six weeks hence will occur the slection of delegates to the Louisiana convention denotes the importance of prompivention denotes the importance of prompitude in making this assurance, which we

THE HANGING OF MRS. SURRATT.

It certainly is not pleasant for us to write on such a topic, but every little while some Hotspur Southerner or Doughfaced Northerner repeats the morbid tale and causes to be published in some form or other an article on the death of Mrs. SURRATT, implying and even directly accusing the Government There never was a greater congregation of hanging an innocent woman. One of of cowards than the Democratic majority these sensational articles recently appeared, or rather re-appeared, in the New Orleans Pirappeae, and therein said to have been copied from " a New York paper," but what New York paper it did not state. Was it ashamed of the source from which it drew its sensation article headed with large type Was it Morder ?" &c. Conningly wrought in with this was much about Mr. STANTON; that he, through remorse for killing an innocent woman, was driven to commit sui-

Providing this sensational story were rue, even in its minutest detail, what need s there at this time of harping upon it and endeavoring to prove the Government guilty of murder? Have not many innocent prople been killed in times of great excitenent? Has it not often been absolutely necessary for the Government to exercise its prerogative of taking life, and in the excitement and pressing necessities of the hour has it not as often happened that the with the really guilty, have been caused to suffer even with them the most severe punishment of the law? That such things have happened all know who are at all familiar with the history of mankind or of the world. It may be asked, when times of peace come, if such things are to be ininnocent, from their intimate association peace come, if such things are to be inadmit that it is well in times of peace to indee a government, or even an individual. on a peace basis for what was incidently done in time of war. This, however, is far enough at present to carry this side of the

We are all familiar with the sad story of the death of LANCOLN, and how his murderers hung about his tracks; and that their place of rendezvous was at one Mrs. Sur-RATI's bouse; and that all the evidence went to prove that this person-a womanwas intimately acquainted with their vile plans; and that in her house, and well known to her, were gathered most of the friends who took upon themselves the execution of the diabolical plan that so startled the whole nation on that April morning,

It is said, for what purpose it may easily now be seen, that it was not at first the intention to kill Mr. LINCOLN, but simply to abduct him; and that the killing was something sudden; and that it lay almost, if not wholly, with BOOTH; and that, though the others, Mrs. SURBATT included, may have been acquainted with the plot to abduct, they and she had no knowledge of the individual intention of Boorn to kill.

fore. This whole plan of escape from Washtion, that promised marvels, has just de- ington, after the killing at the thethat his est. Its method of assessment is so imper- route was prearranged, and that it must public servants are so unreasonably lavish, that others were in the secret and performed and would, if living, probably be now sent Governor Nicholls has doubtless done by the Hotspurs of the South to Congress. ranged, even to minute details.

A poer, insignificant person named WITCHMANN seems now to be the scapegoat for these vile traducers of the Governnow, after sitting nearly a month, has pro- ment officials who were carnest in jected no plan to retrieve it. But on the endeavoring to arrest and bring to

inst punishment the plotters against the Government and its worthy President.

The principal figure in this last article, 1881, Theo. F. Randon, 1883, Jahn R. McPhrisos, Norm carolina, 1883, Mall, W. Randon, 1883, Mall, W. Randon, 1883, Zeb. V. Vance, Ontropo, 1889, New York paper, 1883, Zeb. V. Vance, 1883, Zeb. V. Vance, 1889, New York paper, 1889, "my informant," whoever he was. He seems "was up" to successfully neutralize Mr. among holders elsewhere of Louisiana bonds. advanced to the Treasury. No names or 1881 Janes G. Harris It was recorded a few days ago that That the too common Southern Democratic authority is mentioned. The whole thing necessary killing of such a man as was the "martyr President." This style of argusupport and defend such fiend-like acts. It

THE ARREARS OF PENSIONS. Washington, D. C., Jan. 20, 1879. Sen: For your information I have the honor

to state:
First—That as soon as practicable after the arrears bill lately passed by Congress shall have been approved by the President I will issue and publish instructions for the guidance of all persons who are entitled to arrears under

Commissioner of Pensions,

If we constructhese instructions correctly believe would inspire a new and grateful they do not hold up to the pensioner a very sense in Louisiana toward the Administra- bright hope of early benefit. If no pension is to be adjusted until Congress shall have appropriated the money in each case, old age will creep on before the benefits of the arrears of pension are realized. We do not think this the intention of the originators and architects of the law. They intended, no doubt, that the soldiers and sailors entitled to arrears of pension should have their claims adjusted and paid with as little machinery and delay as possible. Perhaps we have not properly construed these instructions, but if we become more fully convinced that our view of the case is correct. vinced that our view of the case is correct, we shall take occasion to refer to this matter again.

The Queen's Letter to the Poor.

Sympathy with the unfortunate, the poor, and legraded, whether from those in high or low tation, even though it shall get itself expressed in words alone, is never to be despised pressed in words alone, is never to be despised or depreciated. To the destitute and sorrow-stricken it is something to know that their suffering is not unobserved nor unpitied. Te this extent the letter of the Queen of England has value. Its words of tenderness will soothe if they do not releive the misery they deplore. Perhaps there was a virtuous impulse at the bottom of the movement started by a few zeal-ous Protestants in England thirty years ago to use an existing familue as one means of convorting Catholic Ireland to the Protestant faith. The plan was to send them good faith. The plan was to send them good Protestant tracts as well as good wholesome Captured and Abandoned Property Fund. bread. The plan did not work well, because the supply of bread was thought to be some-

dorsed. No wise man would maintain that such should be the case, neither will they finds time and heart to think of her suffering subjects and to speak words of tenderness and courage to them. While, however, we com-mend her example, we have in our own land mend her example, we have in our own land a better one, in the efforts now being made by Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson. Rich, hencvoleut, and intelligent, this lady is now employing her time, her talents, and wealth to discover and, if possible, to remove the causes of poverty crime, and misery. She believes in giving not only good words and bread to the poor, but to enable the poor to minister but to enable the poor to minister to their own necessities. The petition on this subject, effered a few days ago, numercusiy signed by some of the noblest of American men and women, was her work. She has taken the lead in attracting attention to the condition of the laboring classes. She

was a liberal subscriber to the medical com-mission sent to look into the causes of yellow fever, and she has offered prizes for the best essays on the causes of poverty, crime, and misery in the world. Whatever else may be the results of this lady's efforts she will have done much to turn the attention of thoughtful men to the condi-tion of the struggling poor and to the relations of capital and labor. The wall coming up now all over the civilized world from gaunt and hungry millions will not be disregarded. Man's brotherhood will assert itself, and necessity will compel men to think of some means by which society may be saved from the distress-ing spectacle of poverty and squalor on the one hand and wealth and splendor on the other. FREDERICK DOUGLASS.

The New Senate. The Senate of the United States on and after March 4, for the next two years will be constituted as follows-Republicans in roman, Dem-

ocrats in italies: ALABAMA. 1883. John T. Moryam, 1885. Geo. S. Houston, CALIFORNIA. ARKANSAB, 1885. A. H. Garland, 1885. A Democrat, COLORADO, 1883. Henry M. Teller, 1885. Nathaniel P. Hill, DELAWARE, 1881. Tomas F. Bayard, 1881. Ett Sauldares OEORGIA. 1883. Renjamin II. IIII. 1885. John B. Gunt. ILLINOIS. INDIANA.

IGWA. KANSAS. 1883. Sam'l J. Kirkwood 1883. Preston B. Plumb. 1885. Wm. B. Allison. 1885. A Republican. KENTUCKY, LOUISIANA. 1883, James B. Beck 1885, John S. Willia MARYLAND. 1881. William P. Whyte. 1885, James B. Groome. MAINE. 1881. Hannibal Hamlin, 1883. James G. Blilline. MICHIGAN, 1881, I. P. Christlaney, 1881, Thomas W. Ferry, MASSACHUSETTS 1881. Henry L. Dawes, 1880. George F. Hour.

MINNESOTA. 1881, S. J. R. McMilla 1881, William Winds Mississippi, 1881. Blanche K. Bruce, 1881. L. Q. C. Lamar. MISSOURL. 1881. F. M. Cockrell. 1885. George C. Vest. NEBRASKA. 1881. A.S. Paddock. 1883. Alvin Saunder NEVADA. 1883, William Shar 1885, John P. Jones NEW HAMPSHIRE 1883, Edward H. Rolli 1885, A Republican, NEW YORK. 1881. Francis Kernon. 1885. Roscoe Conkling.

OHIO. 1881. Allen G. Thurman 1883. George H. Pendlet. PENNSYLVANIA. OREGON, 1883. Lafayette Oporer. 1885. James H. Stater. RHODE ISLAND. SOUTH CAROLINA. 1881, A. E. Burnside, 1883, Henry B. Anthor TENNESSEE.

TEXAS. 1881. Smanel B. Mazey. 1883. Richard Coke. VERMONT. VIRGINIA.
1881. Goo. F. Edmands. 1881. Robert E. Withers.
1885. Justin S. Morrill. 1883. John W. Johnston WEST VIRGINIA, 1881. Frank Hereford, 1881. Henry G. Davis. WISCONSIN. 1881. Angus Cameron. 1885. Matt. H. Carpenter

PERSONAL.

WHITELAW REID is at the Arlington. HON. J. T. UPDEGRAPE, of Ohio, is registered at a Ebbitt House,

Jone Biomow, ex-Minister to France, is a guest HON. WILLIAM B. MANN, of Philadelphia, is a cest at the Robitt House. P. TANABASKI and S. Takagi, of Japan, are so ourning at the Ebbitt House.

How. Marr. H. Carrenter and family, of Wisopsin, are guests at the Arlington. A. H. Food and wife of Maine, and A. J. Vander-ool, of New York, are at the Riggs House. R. S. Fogo, superintendent of grante works in laine, who has been in the city for a few days, left

Maine, who has been in the city for a few days, left last night for his home.

Hos. Alonzo Brill, Assistant Secretary of the Interior, has not been at his deak for two days, being kept at home by sickness.

E. W. Hooyer, Boston: E. M. McCook, Colorado: T. W. Peters, Philadelphia, and B. F. Lieber, New York, are stopping at Wormley's.

Washington will apparently see little of President Hayes next summer. He is aircady builetined to appear in Connecticut. California, and Toxas, and of course he will not give Ohio the go-by.

Missus: Jones and Call. Plorida's new Senators, are both quite young. The former was ten years a carpenter, and studied haw between jobs: the latter is a blue-blood, and a son of the Territorial Governor of Florida.

W. E. Alburtson, of Philadelphia; Mrs. L. A. Sillson, Pennsylvania; A. S. Paxter, New York; B. A. Kimbali, Concord; William S. Kimbali, Rochester; Lewis W. Smith and W. E. Littleton, Philadelphia, arrived at Williard's yesterday.

WARE HAMPTON, a notorious sueak-thief and robber, has been captured in Aliania. It may be mentioned in this connection that Kentucky is preparing to hang George Washington, and North Carolina will confer a similar compilies upon Jeff. Dayle.

POLITICAL NOTES.

The next election for United States Senator | New Hampshire will take place in June. RANDALL is not nearly so sure of being made peaker as he was a month ago. A combination is coming against blue. The Nationals of Ohio are already tushing into se campaign, and have named June 4, 1879, as the say for holding their State convention.

EX-COMMESSIAN GROUND M. BERDER, of New York, says that he will not be a candidate for Jork of the National House of Représentatives. This Democratic state committee of Alabama has voted, after an animated discussion, that it would be maybe and inexpedient to repeal the State reg-

In anything will fend to make Grant the next resident it will be such wild mouthings as the cash World and similar papers are indulging inline insult Saturday Night.

Another Revelation of Caleb Cushing.

Sin: The published notices of Mr. Cushing have old that he was tutor in Harvard College during the years of 1820-1821. The writer, being a member of the class which graduated in the latter year, is reminded of some characteristics not littherto adverted to. He was particular tutor of our class The designation means that be was the organ of communication between us and the government in

Size: Mr. Ellis, of Louisland, in debate but week onstitutional amendment to prohibit the payment of any Southern claim. To prove his sincerity and that will also relieve Secretary Sherman of any

that will also relieve Secretary Shorman of any trouble on resumption.
It is known that there are about \$3,000,000 lying in the Treasury, which is the proceeds of the sales of captured property belonging to the late Confederacy. To remove this from the areas of legislation, and to prevent the Democrats from falling out among themselves hereafter, and to give Controves the chance to make the "cension arrearage bill," a benefit indeed as in name, I propose that a simple act be passed appropriating this \$5,000 000 lying idle to the payment of pension arrears, it will be a most happy and particite use of this momey te pay it to the heroes who bear the wounds received in capturing this very property.

What Senator or Congressman will introduce the first bill to effect this object?

EX-SOLDIER.

Read This Backward. New York Mall.

Nothing gives a Democratic politician greater pleasure than an attack by Republican politicians on their own Administration. To Find a Bourbon.

[Indianapolis Journal.]

If you will scratch the hide of the fellow who has much to say against "Grantism," ten to one you will wake a "Bourbon,"

Levee Improvements, Et At.

[Davements, Et Al.]

[Davemport Gazette.]

If the Confederate House can once got the country committed to a policy of large expenditures the Southern members particularly will be supremely bappy. The door, once opened, the whole procession of claims, levee improvements, et al., will come trooping in, and "more greenbacks" be made necessary to foot the bill.

AMUSEMENTS. National Theatre-Chanfrau-"The Octo-

Your."

Mr. Chanfrau appeared last evening as Sulem sudder in Boucleault's (own) play, "The Octoroon." His delineation was realistic in its intelli-gence, acuteness, and generosity, and in all its de-tails a masterploce of artistic excellence. The sup-port was, in most particulars, above even the ususl-high standard of the Natienai's company. Mr. Waverley's impersonation of the "low-browed vil-lain," McCockey, was most creditable and worthy an actor of Mr. Waverley's ability. Mr. Lanagan an actor of Mr. Waverley's ability. Mr. Lanagan as Old Peic was the personification of the manners and bearing, with the volubility of the old-time slave. Mr. Dennis' George Peyton was easy and refined, yet vigorous. Mrs. Germon as Mrs. Peyton was perfect in her impersonation of the gentle and hospitable 'old mistress' of a Southern home. Miss Booth was probably somewhat 'out of her line' as Zee, but was graceful and tender, without giving the strong colorings that are generally used to embellish that character. Miss Decthon, as Dora Sumpside, was unusually interesting and pleasing probably because she presented her character with naturalness—not with the staglness and affectation that so frequently mar her otherwise acceptable efforts. We congrutulate Miss Detchon upon her apparent discovery of a valuable vein in the dramatte mine, and hope, for her 'own sweet sake' 'she will not forget its location and worth. "The Octoroon" will be repeated this evening.

Lincoln Hall-Swedish Lady Quartette. The alliance of vocal performers known as the swedish Lady Quariette will appear for the first lme in this city, at Lincoln Hall, this evening, it selections of Swedish, German, and English songs These young ladies are described as possessing olces of admirable quality, well cultivated and f phenomenal sweetness, power, and compass Their voices are respectively soprano, mezzo-soprano, contralto, and alto. The performances of this melodious quartette in this country during the past two or three years have attracted unqualified praise. Mr. Alexander Freygang, a noted Russian harpist, is also under engagement, and will appear at each performance of the Quartette. The novelty and excellence of this entertainment larits the best of eatronage.

National Theatre-Colville Opera Burlesque Next Week.

The Colvilles will commence their engagement

at the National on next Monday evening with the performance of "The Babes in the Wood." Since ts last production here this most popular and in its has production here this most popular and in-teresting of extravaganzas has been reconstructed, improved, and enriched by the introduction of new choruses, quartettes, and other vocat embel-lishments. The newest and most elegant costumes have been supplied, and the entire performance will be given in the very best style afforded by spectacular art. The sale of tickets for reserved seats has already commenced at the box-office of the theatre.

Odd-Fellows' Hall-The Midgets. The Midgets' farewell to Washington will take clace to-morrow evening. The remaining oppor-unities, therefore, of seeing them are provided by the four exhibitions announced for to-day and to-morrow. The leves in the afternoon lasts from two o'clock until half-past four o'clock, and in the evening from seven o'clock until nine o'clock.

" Pinafore." "H. M. S. Pinaforo" and its attendant beauties of plendid chorus, realistic suice-ca-scene, &c., will be given to-morrow evening at Ford's Opera-House The cast will be the same as that of the performance of last Wednesday evening, and the proceed will be given, as before, to the Contral Free Di-permany, of this city.

Theatre Comique.

The programme of the present week affords imple material for almost a dozen good shows, but the enterprise of Messis. Budd & Co. has gathered all its dazzling variety and overflowing quantity into one grand and symmetrical enter-lariment. Go and see it before the usual weekly change take place.

Do Nor waste your money for every new remedy advertised to care a cough, when you know that Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup has stood the popular test for thirty years. Price, 25 cents. DIED.

YOUNG, At his late residence, No. 348 Maryland venue southwest, on January 25, 1879, Excharge, Oung, in the 5th venu of his age. Funeral to-day (Friday), at 2 p. m., Friends condiality vited to attend. vited to attend.

LANGLEY.—In this city on Thursday, January.

Mrs. Masy E. widow of William Butler Langley,
the 66th year of her age.

Funeral services from St. Peter's Cherch Saturday,
elemany is at 6 clock z. m., with flequiem Moss,
viends and relatives are respectfully invited to al-

1933.

HOWELL - In this city January 25, Mrs. Electricist Julian Howell, in the 58th year of herings.

Her friends are levited to attend her Lineral, at 4 cook to morrow, from 184 I stress northwest. WHIGHT .- On Wednesday , January 29, 1879, at his

So, 1004 Elighteenth street northwest, lut at his age, Jou's E. Whiton.
A will sake place from Union Bethel, A.
B. Marrost, between Birtaenth and Severess, or Smiles next, Ferromy 2, 1874, a.m. The body will be rested in the church and the work of the street of the severe of the se

HENRY LEE'S SONS. UNDERTAKERS, BR PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE N. W.

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